# Mountain Weather Forecast

## Snowdonia National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Wednesday 23 Sep 2020 until 23:59 on Thursday 24 Sep 2020

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 23 Sep 2020 at 03:21

**Confidence:** High confidence for overall story. Moderate confidence for detail of showers each day.

**Headline for Wednesday 23 Sep 2020:** Heavy rain clearing to bright spells and showers.

**Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 23 Sep 2020**

**Blizzards**
No Likelihood

**Heavy Snow**
No Likelihood

**Storm force winds**
No Likelihood

**Gales**
No Likelihood

**Severe chill effect**
No Likelihood

**Poor visibility**
Medium Likelihood

**Thunderstorms**
No Likelihood

**Heavy persistent rain**
Medium Likelihood

**Strong sunlight**
No Likelihood

| **Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m** | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Time | | | | | |
| 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 |
| | | | | | |
| Heavy Rain | Cloudy | Cloudy | Light rain showers | Sunny intervals | Clear night |
| Precipitation probability | | | | | |
| >95% | 80% | 40% | 40% | 30% | 30% |

**Forecast for Wednesday 23 Sep 2020**

**Weather:** Heavy and persistent rain will arrive overnight with fog where low cloud covers the hills. Persistent rain will gradually ease in the morning, quickly followed by a few scattered showers. Low cloud will also lift, although skies will stay largely cloud until the evening. Showers will come and go through the day but should be fairly light.

**Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m:** 10% overnight with cloud bases down to 300m at times, particularly in heavier bursts of rain. Improving to 100% through the morning as cloud bases lift above tops.

**Visibility:** Generally around 40km. However, 8000m in light showers, 3000m in heavy rain and 100m in fog.

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**Forecast for Wednesday 23 Sep 2020**

| Height (m) | Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from) | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 | 00:00 |
| **900** | 16/20 N | 21/26 N | 15/20 N | 14/19 N | 9/12 NW | 9/12 SW | 15/19 S |
| **600** | 11/14 N | 14/18 N | 13/18 N | 11/16 N | 6/9 NW | 6/8 SW | 11/15 S |
| **300** | 8/13 N | 11/18 N | 10/16 N | 9/15 N | 4/8 NW | 4/6 S | 7/13 S |
| **Valley** | 8/13 N | 11/18 N | 10/17 N | 9/15 N | 4/9 NW | 4/7 S | 7/13 S |

| Height (m) | Temperature / Feels Like (°C) | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 | 00:00 |
| **900** | 6/2 | 5/-1 | 5/0 | 4/0 | 4/1 | 3/0 | 4/-1 |
| **600** | 8/6 | 7/3 | 7/4 | 7/4 | 6/5 | 6/4 | 6/2 |
| **300** | 10/8 | 9/7 | 10/8 | 10/8 | 9/8 | 8/7 | 8/6 |
| **Valley** | 11/9 | 11/8 | 11/9 | 11/9 | 10/10 | 9/8 | 9/7 |
| **Freezing Level*** | 2400m | 1800m | 1400m | 1400m | 1200m | 1200m | 1300m |

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

**Meteorologist's View**

No comments.

**Forecast for Thursday 24 Sep 2020**

**Weather:** Heavy showers will arrive overnight and persist through Thursday. The showers could band together at times to bring more persistent spells of rain. Showers will be blustery with a risk of hail and thunder in the heaviest downpours.

**Maximum wind:** Southwesterly 20 mph gusting 30-40mph in heavier showers during the morning.

**Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m:** 90 %. Cloud bases could lower to 400m as heavier showers pass through.

**Visibility:** Generally 50km, but 3000m in heavy showers.

**Temperature:** **Valleys:** Plus 1 Celsius, becoming plus 13 Celsius.
**At 800m:** Plus 4 Celsius.
**Freezing level:** Above tops.

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**Ground Conditions Supplement**
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